

## **EXHIBIT E**

THIERRY GUETTA

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

GLEN E. FRIEDMAN, )  
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Plaintiff,           )  
                        ) Case No.  
vs.                    ) CV10-0014-DDP (JCx)  
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THIERRY GUETTA a/k/a )  
MR. BRAINWASH; and DOES 1    )  
through 10, inclusive,     )  
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Defendants.            )  
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VIDEOTAPED DEPOSITION OF

THIERRY GUETTA

Monday, November 15, 2010

Reported by: Irene Nakamura,  
C.S.R. No. 9478, RPR, CLR

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7     Plaintiff,    )  
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9     vs.    ) CV10-00014-DDP (JCx)  
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15    )Videotaped Deposition of THIERRY GUETTA,  
16    taken on behalf of Plaintiff, at 9401 Wilshire  
17    Boulevard, Suite 575, Los Angeles, California,  
18    commencing at 10:21 a.m., Monday, November 15,  
19    2010, before Irene Nakamura, Certified Shorthand  
20    Reporter for the State of California No. 9478, RPR,  
21    CLR, Nevada CSR No. 893, Washington CSR No. 3177.  
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12:37:15 1 I'm going to mark that as Exhibit 12. Let's see  
10:13:09 2 here.

10:13:10 3 (Whereupon, Plaintiff's Exhibit No. 12  
4 was marked for identification by the  
5 deposition officer and is attached  
hereto.)

12:37:25 7 THE DEPONENT: Okay.

12:37:26 8 MR. LINDE: Take a look at that.

12:37:29 9 THE DEPONENT: Okay.  
10 (Document placed before the deponent.)

12:37:41 11 (Deponent reviewed document.)

12:37:41 12 THE DEPONENT: Boom, boom, boom.

12:37:47 13 (Humming.)

12:37:47 14 Yes.

12:37:48 15 BY MR. LINDE:

12:37:48 16 Q. Okay. And you recognize pages 2 and 3 of  
12:37:57 17 that exhibit as the Run DMC records work on display  
12:38:02 18 at your Los Angeles -- Los Angeles show?

12:38:04 19 A. Yes, I do.

12:38:06 20 Q. Okay. And at some point in time, was  
12:38:08 21 there a "No Smoking" sign that was put on that  
12:38:12 22 Run DMC records?

12:38:13 23 A. I just don't recall, you know. I mean,  
12:38:17 24 that's may be these photos. I see on the first  
12:38:20 25 photos, they were not -- some not smoking. The

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12:39:51 1 Exhibit 13.

12:39:55 2 (Whereupon, Plaintiff's Exhibit No. 13,

3 was marked for identification by the

4 deposition officer and is attached

12:40:02 5 hereto.)

12:40:02 6 THE DEPONENT: 13. This is this?

12:40:08 7 BY MR. LINDE:

12:40:08 8 Q. Correct. This is another copy of it.

12:40:10 9 A. Okay. Okay.

12:40:19 10 Q. Do you recognize that?

12:40:20 11 A. Yes, I do.

12:40:20 12 Q. And that's a work that you had -- a work

12:40:24 13 of Run DMC behind -- can we call it fluorescent

12:40:30 14 graffiti, that you had on display at your show?

12:40:34 15 A. Yes.

12:40:34 16 Q. And if we call that one the Run DMC

12:40:40 17 fluorescent graffiti, is that a -- a fair term to

12:40:42 18 call it?

12:40:42 19 A. Sure.

12:40:43 20 Q. And that was on display at the Los Angeles

12:40:45 21 show?

12:40:45 22 A. Yes.

12:40:46 23 And each one of these painting that you

12:40:48 24 show me, each one of them is different. This is a

12:40:50 25 stencil. The one previously was a painting. And

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12:46:49 1 placed on top?

12:46:50 2 A. Yes. You know.

12:46:54 3 Q. There was also a copy of the Run DMC Old  
12:47:27 4 Family that was on display at your Los Angeles  
12:47:29 5 show; correct?

12:47:30 6 A. Yes.

12:47:30 7 Q. And it was in a picture frame; correct?

12:47:32 8 A. Yes.

12:47:32 9 Q. Do you know where that is?

12:47:34 10 A. I think I have -- I don't recall where it  
12:47:44 11 went, you know. Because it was like -- I don't  
12:47:49 12 recall.

12:47:49 13 Q. What have you done to try to find that?

12:47:51 14 A. I look everywhere. I didn't find it.

12:47:53 15 Q. Have you asked anybody?

12:47:54 16 A. I guess some -- some people, you know,  
12:48:01 17 took care of it and looked for everything. Even  
12:48:03 18 this painting that I didn't remember show up, and  
12:48:06 19 some print that I don't even know that they were  
12:48:10 20 still here came out. You know, it's -- it's not my  
12:48:13 21 job. That's not what I do.

12:48:15 22 Q. Whose job is it?

12:48:16 23 A. It's -- it's...

12:48:16 24 MR. GUTMAN: To do what, specifically?

12:48:18 25 Are you talking about to look for the painting?

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13:06:12 1 THE DEONENT: I don't understand.

13:06:14 2 BY MR. LINDE:

13:06:14 3 Q. Sure.

4 A. So --

13:06:14 5 Q. You had, by my count, four Run DMC items

13:06:20 6 at the Los Angeles show; correct?

13:06:21 7 A. (No audible response by the deponent.)

13:06:25 8 Q. At least?

13:06:26 9 A. At least maybe three to four, yeah, I

13:06:29 10 would say.

13:06:29 11 Q. Okay. And all of the items -- all of the

13:06:32 12 Run DMC items that you had on display at your

13:06:35 13 Los Angeles show incorporated the Glen Friedman

13:06:38 14 Run DMC photo; correct?

13:06:39 15 MR. GUTMAN: Objection; asked and

13:06:41 16 answered.

13:06:41 17 THE DEONENT: Umm --

13:06:42 18 MR. GUTMAN: It's the same photos we've

13:06:43 19 been talking about, the same images --

13:06:45 20 THE DEONENT: I didn't have a -- a

13:06:48 21 personal photo of Glen Friedman somewhere. It was

13:06:53 22 something that I recreated. There is no photo of

13:06:56 23 Glen Friedman there. It's -- it's something that I

13:07:00 24 create as a freedom of trying to do something

13:07:05 25 artistic, you know, on a different kind --

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13:08:14 1 well, any -- any of the artwork that had the  
13:08:16 2 Run DMC image or any part of Run DMC image, was it  
13:08:20 3 offered for sale to the public, the works that were  
13:08:22 4 showed at the L.A. show?

13:08:24 5 THE DEPONENT: I don't recall if they  
13:08:25 6 were. But I know that the print was and the -- the  
13:08:30 7 original like the Records and everything, it's --  
13:08:32 8 it wasn't -- it wasn't any price of it.

13:08:35 9 BY MR. LINDE:

13:08:35 10 Q. Okay.

13:08:35 11 A. I'm not sure of it.

13:08:36 12 Q. Exhibit 12 is the Records. Do you see  
13:08:38 13 that?

13:08:38 14 A. Which one? This one? Uh-huh.

13:08:40 15 Q. And that was on display at the Los Angeles  
13:08:43 16 show; correct?

13:08:43 17 A. Yes.

13:08:43 18 Q. And if somebody came to the Los Angeles  
13:08:46 19 show and they wanted to buy it from you, was that  
13:08:48 20 for sale?

13:08:48 21 A. I don't recall if it was.

13:08:51 22 Q. Would have you sold it?

13:08:53 23 A. I didn't sell it.

13:08:54 24 Q. Would you have sold it if you were offered  
13:08:56 25 money -- enough money for it?

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13:10:45 1 THE DEONENT: Okay.  
13:10:45 2 MR. GUTMAN: Stick to the question, just  
13:10:47 3 give him a response.  
13:10:48 4 THE DEONENT: It's not -- it's not just  
13:10:49 5 about Run DMC. You know, you are talking about  
13:10:52 6 Run DMC, Run DMC, Run DMC. There is an artist  
13:10:55 7 behind, you know. I am an artist. This is a piece  
13:10:59 8 of art. It's not a Run DMC. If they wanted  
13:11:02 9 something Run DMC, they go to buy it, any posters  
13:11:07 10 or any photos of -- they came here to see me. Not  
13:11:11 11 Run DMC.

13:11:12 12 You know, it's part of the -- a movement.  
13:11:14 13 It's part of a freedom of expression, a freedom  
13:11:19 14 of -- of being an artist, of doing something. And  
13:11:23 15 it's like having a statement in Los Angeles, if you  
13:11:27 16 look of the show that I made. It's not words about  
13:11:31 17 money. It's about to make a -- a -- a statement of  
13:11:36 18 the world, of Los Angeles, about a show.

13:11:40 19 **And like if you look at the money that I**  
13:11:42 20 **made and the money that I spent at the time, you**  
13:11:48 21 **can look at it, and you'll see that I was not so**  
13:11:51 22 **much a winner of it.** But --

13:11:53 23 MR. GUTMAN: You got to --

24 THE DEONENT: Okay.

13:11:54 25 MR. GUTMAN: -- stick to the question.

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13:15:02 1 BY MR. LINDE:

13:15:03 2 Q. Why do you do it?

13:15:03 3 A. Because I like -- because -- why do I do

13:15:06 4 it? Because I feel like it, you know. Like --

13:15:08 5 like sometime I do it, sometime I don't do it. It

13:15:12 6 doesn't -- it doesn't mean it's because of the

13:15:13 7 record or of somebody's name that I'm going to do

13:15:17 8 it, you know. The artwork is behind it. You know.

13:15:21 9 Q. Now, you made a series --

13:15:24 10 A. If I wanted to sell records, I would sell

13:15:27 11 records. This is art, not records.

13:15:30 12 Q. You made a series of postcards that you

13:15:34 13 used to advertise your Los Angeles show; correct?

13:15:36 14 A. Yes, I did.

13:15:38 15 Q. Okay. Did you select the images to be

13:15:45 16 featured on the postcards?

13:15:46 17 A. Yes, I did.

13:15:46 18 Q. You personally selected each one of them?

13:15:49 19 A. Yes, I did.

13:15:49 20 Q. Do you know how many different postcards

13:15:52 21 were made?

13:15:52 22 A. I -- I don't recall.

13:15:55 23 Q. Approximately?

13:15:56 24 A. 30, 40.

13:15:59 25 Q. Do you have a complete listing of all of